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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
: Examiner: B. Menberu  
TAKASHI KISE )  
: Group Art Unit: 2626  
Application No.: 09/964,656 )  
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Filed: September 28, 2001 )  
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For: CONTROLLER, IMAGE )  
FORMING SYSTEM, )  
CALIBRATION CONTROL )  
METHOD, CALIBRATION )  
CONTROL PROGRAM, AND )  
MEMORY MEDIUM STORING )  
THEREIN CALIBRATION )  
CONTROL PROGRAM ) Monday, February 6, 2006

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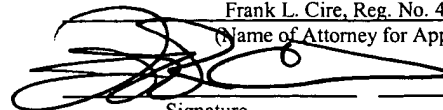
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